

**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application
filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

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Application Number	09/785546
Filing Date	February 16, 2001
First Named Inventor	Sonya Franklin
Group Art Unit	Unknown
Examiner Name	Unknown
Attorney Docket Number	875.037US1
Customer No.	21186

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled ARTIFICIAL ENDONUCLEASE.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

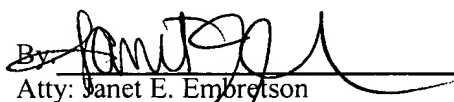
1. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 23, 2003.
2. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
3. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment (8 pgs), with copy of Accession No. NP_001417 (2 pgs).
4. ☐ A new power of attorney (pages) is enclosed.
5. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed (2 pages), with:
 - a. Forms 1449 (1 pg)
 - b. Copies of IDS Citations (2)
 - c. Copy of International Search Report mailed 3/12/03 (3 pgs)
6. ☒ A check in the amount of \$385.00 is attached to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
7. ☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 CFR §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.**
8. ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application (1 pages) is enclosed along with a check in the amount of \$210.00 to pay the extension fee.

9. ☐ Other:
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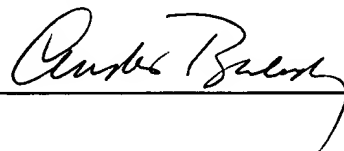
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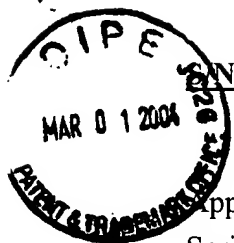
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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sonya Franklin

Examiner: Charles L. Patterson, Jr.

Serial No.: 09/785546

Group Art Unit: 1652

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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To supplement the Amendment filed on December 23, 2003, please amend the application as follows.